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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This paper is herewith filed as a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and in response to the Examiner's final Office Action mailed on September 30, 2009 for the above-captioned U.S. Patent Application. The Patent Office is authorized to charge deposit account no. 50-1924 for the amount of the RCE fee (\$810), however no petition for an extension of time or fee is believed to be due, as this response is herewith filed within the shortened statutory period. However, should the undersigned agent be mistaken, please consider this a petition for any extension of time that may be required to maintain the pendency of this Patent Application, and charge deposit account no. 50-1924 for any required fee deficiency.

Please amend the application as shown below.